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NORTH COVE HIGH SCHOOL

NINETEEN HUNDRED FORTY-TWO



ALMA MATER

In the shadows of the mountains
Under skies so blue,
Stands our dear old North Cove High School,
Glorious to view.
Sound the chorus, speed it onward;
Thee we'll never fail!
Hail to thee, our North Cove High School
Hail to thee, All Hail!
In thy halls we formed our friendships
Dear old high school home
And to thee we pledge our hearts
Wherever we may roam
Sound the chorus, speed it onward;
Thee we'll never fail!
Hail to thee, our North Cove High School
to thee, All Hail!



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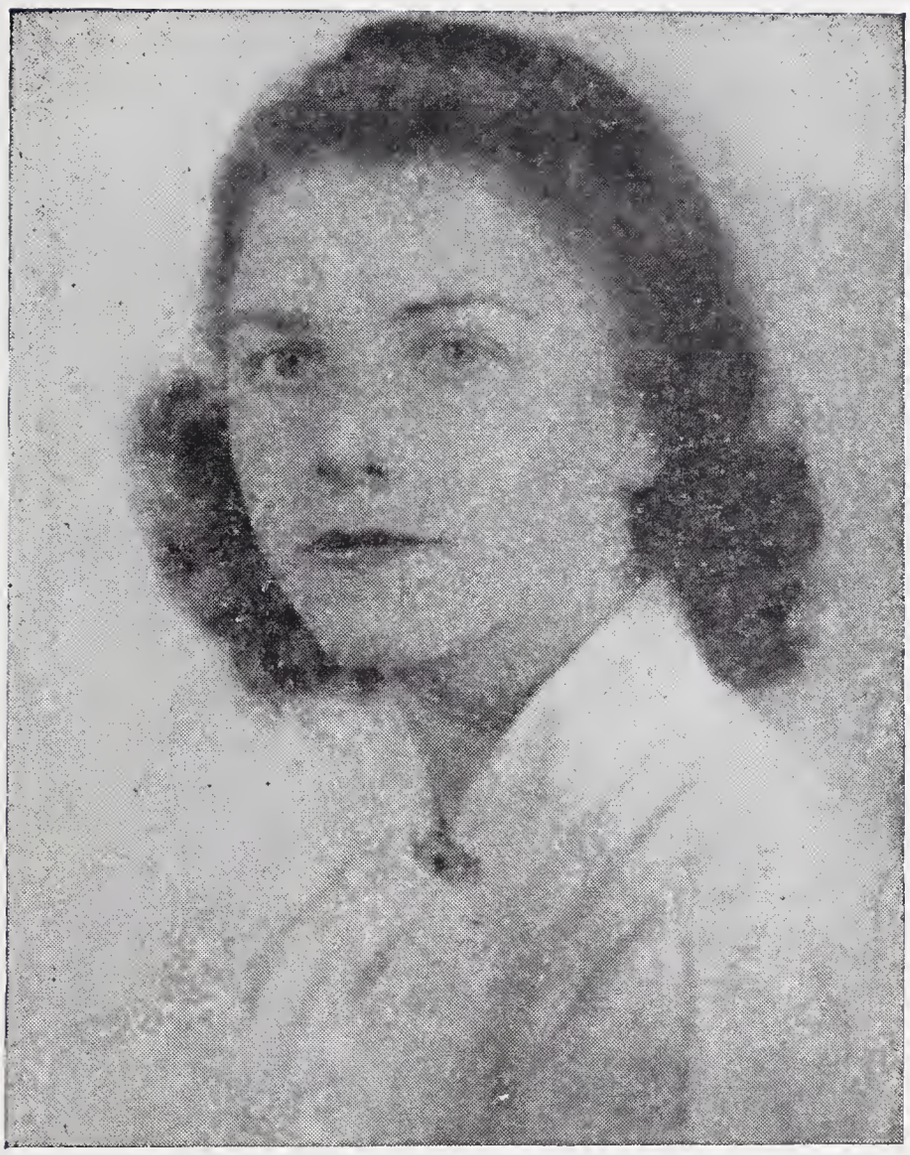


To Mr. F. W. Howell, whose inspiration and encouragement has helped us attain a higher level of living and thinking; and because of his devout interest in our every individual need; we, The Senior Class of 1942, dedicate this volume of The Hi-Lite.

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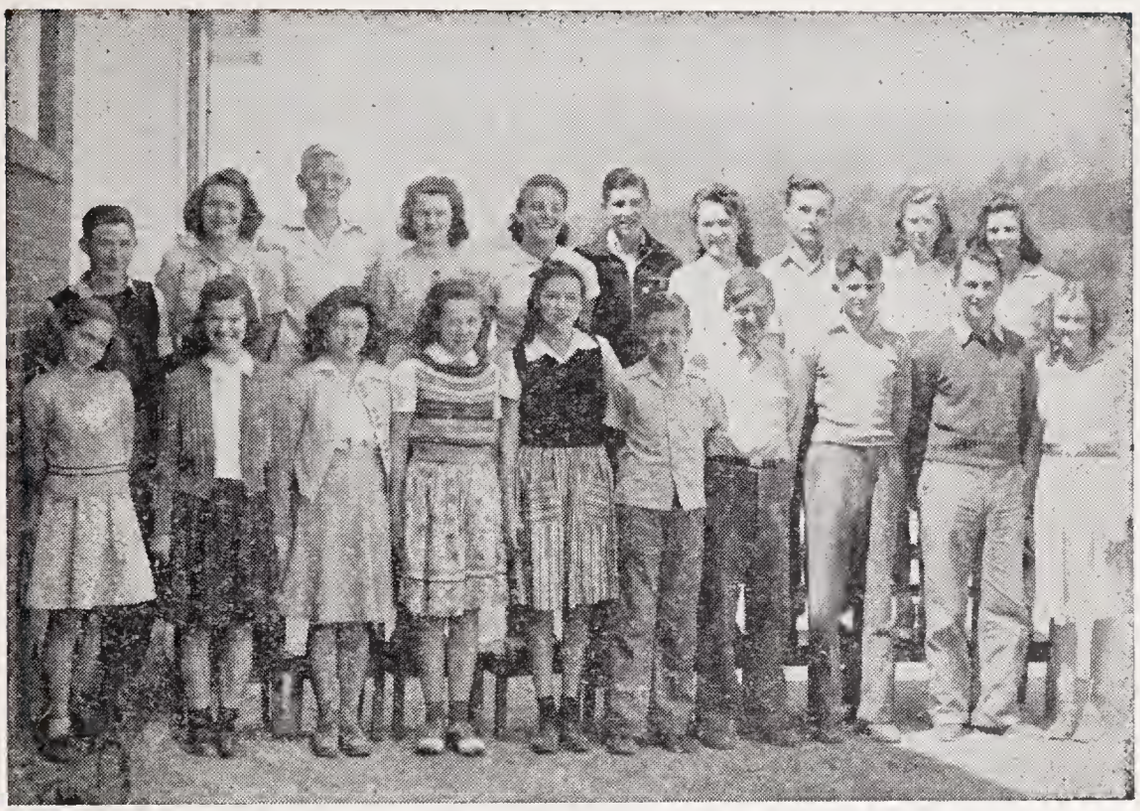
First row, left to right—Ruebelle Anderson, Pearle Prichard, Mamie Whiteside, Mrs. Raymond Wilson, Harriet Wilson, and Mr. F. W. Howell.

Second row, Mr. J. M. Tyler, Mrs. Gay Grant, Mrs. Allie Steppe, Mrs. Laura Brown, and Stella Tate.



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Above are Council Members who attended the Western Conference at Canton. Left to right: Harrold Biddix, Pres.; Charlene Doby, Vice-Pres.; Sarah Brinkley, Freshman Representative, and Allie Hollifield, Junior Representative.

Harold Biddix, President
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4-H CLUB



4-H CLUB GROUP

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Ruby King Secretary

King's Workers Club Officers

Lennie Hollifield President
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Beulah Hollifield Secretary



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First row, left to right: Fern Queen, Lois Bates, Sarah Brinkley, Joe Doby, Jack Townsend, Norman Cox Gladys Byrd, Marcile Lowery, Zela Ollis, and Kathleen Lonon.

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Third row, left to right: Doris Anderson, Eddie Mae Simmons, Allie Hollifield, Genia Wiseman, Marie Ollis, Jesse Ward, Justine Good, Irene Swofford, Ruby Pittman, Mrs. Steppe, and Ruth Thorneburg.



HIGH SCHOOL QUEEN

Madelline Hensley, eighth grade student, was chosen queen of the High School. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Hensley.

MADELINE HENSLEY.

QUEEN OF THE GRADES

Beverly Lonon, fourth grade student, was selected as queen of the grades. She is the daughter Mr. and Mrs. Guy Lonon.



BEVERLY LONON



SENIORS

First row—left to right, Little Miss Jean Ollis and Master Lester Durham.

Second row—Doris Anderson; Julia King English, Valedictorian; Agnes Lowery; Charlene Doby, Salutatorian; Irene Swafford; Vick McCall.

Third row—Charles Lee Durham; Dorothy Pittman, Prettiest girl; Harold Biddix, President Student Council; Marie Ollis; Eddie Mae Simmons, President Senior Class; Holland Hollifield.

SENIOR CLASS OFFICERS



Shown above are the Senior Class Officers. They are : Doris Anderson, Reporter; Irene Swafford, Vice-President; Charles Lee Durham, Treasurer; Eddie Mae Simmons, President; Harold Biddix, Secretary; Miss Anderson, Sponsor.

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CLASS MOTTO:

"E Pluribus Unum"

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Class Color:
R ed, White and Blue

Class Flower;
American Beauty Rose

CLASS HISTORY

As we glance down the halls of time, we see before us many wondrous events. But the most outstanding of these events occured one September morn in 1938, when we entered North Cove High School. We were assigned to the special care of Mr. E. V. Gouge, our principal. Our class president, Harold Biddix, led us safely through the gales of our Freshman year.

When we returned from our summer vacation, we were greeted by a new teacher, Mr. W. C. Twiddy. Harold Biddix was again chosen as leader for our class. We learned real cooperation and teamwork, and plunged into our work like real troopers.

During our Junior year we were under the helpful guidance of Mr. John Tyler. We again placed our leadership in the capable hands of Harold Biddix, We began to give thoughtful consideration to greater horizons. The main event of the year was the Junior-Senior Banquet at which we were hosts.

At last we are Seniors. The long sought for time has finally arrived. With Eddie Mae Simmons as our president for the final year, and Miss Ruebelle Anderson for our sponsor, we are determined to "Soar on to greater heights above." The hardest task of the teachers was to hew the rough spots down and inscribe in us a sense of dignity, so that at the end of the year we may be decorously clad in our caps and gowns. Each Senior wrote a biography of his life in French which proved to be an accomplishment for each of us. Our Senior play "Romance In A Boarding House" was our greatest dramatic event, and proved to be a success. With banners flying we feel that our school life has made possible for us a larger, fuller, and better life.

SENIOR SUPRELATIVES

Prettiest Girl Ruby Pittman
Best Looking Boy Holland Hollifield
Most Intelligent Birl Charlene Doby
Most Intelligent Boy Harold Biddix
Most Athletic Girl Irene Swofford
Most Athletic Boy Vick McCall
Most Popular Girl Doris Anderson
Most Popular Boy Charles Lee Durham
Friendliest Girl Eddie Mae Simmons
Friendliest Boy Charles Lee Durham
Quietest Girl Agnes Lowery
Quietest Boy Vick McCall
Most Ambitious Harold Biddix
Best Sport Marie Ollis
Most Courteous Doris Anderson
Most Versatile Harold Biddix
Most Dependable Eddie Mae Simmons
Best All Round Julia King English

THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA—County of McDowell
SCHOOL OF NORTH COVE

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

SECTION I—We do will and bequeath to our dearly beloved Alma Mater the sincere gratitude of the entire Senior Class, and our appreciation for what it has accomplished for us.

We do will to the Junior class 16 distinctive rays of light that each member may have one to guide him as he walks in our steps.

To the Sophomores we give our congratulations when and if they become Juniors.

To the Freshmen, we give our good looks.

SECTION II—Ruby Pittman leaves to Allice Hollifield her popularity with the boys.

Marie Ollis wills to Ruby King her hair curlers.

Julia King English bequeaths to Dorothy Coleman her ability to be quiet in Mr. Howell's Study Hall.

Charles Doby leaves to Sarah Brinkley one foot of her height, seeing the need of it.

Harold Biddix wills to Bobby Carpenter his popularity with red-haired girls.

Charles Lee Durham leaves his serene quietness to Donald Goode.

Vick McCall bequeaths to Edgar McKinney his art of drawing.

Holland Hollifield surrenders his black straight hair to Dean Chapman.

Doris Anderson wills her coiffure and her ability to study to Ruth Biddix.

Agnes Lowery leaves her bashfulness to Genia Wiseman.

Eddie Mae Simmons leaves to Gilbert Byrd her French book and access to benefits that may be derived from it.

Irene Swofford wills to anyone who may want them her matrimonial anticipations.

SECTION III—To Mr. Howell, our deep affection, respect, and appreciation.

SECTION IV—We, the Seniors of 1942 set our signature and affix the seal on this, the first day of May, nineteen hundred and forty-two. Signed: SENIORS OF '42

JUNIORS





JUNIOR CLASS OFFICERS



Above are the Junior Class Officers. Mr. Howell, Sponsor; Bobby Carpenter, President; Genia Wiseman, Reporter; Carroll Moore, Vice-President; Ruby King, Secretary.

Class Colors:
Blue, Pink

Class Flower:
Rose

SOPHOMORES





SOPHOMORE STATISTICS

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Wilma Blankenship President
Frances Childress Vice-President
Mary Lee Greene Secretary
Dean Chapman Best Looking Boy
Celestine Huskins Most Intellectual
Frances Childress Most Studious
Mary Lena Greene Most Athletic
Madge Mcpinney Most Bashful
John Hollifield Most Dependable
Wilma Blankenship Friendliest
Beulah Hollifield Quietest
Dorothy Coleman Most Original

FRESHMAN STATISTICS

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Gus Gross Vice-President
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Benartz Jordan Best Looking Boy
Sarah Brinkley Most Intelligent Girl
Joe G. Doby Most Intelligent Boy
Ruth Biddix Most Athletic Girl
Earl Blankenship Most Athletic Boy
Madeline Hensley Most Popular Girl
Clyde Harrison Most Popular Boy
Mabel Dennie Quietest Girl
James Ward Quietest Boy
Billy King Wittiest
Jack Townsend Most Courteous
Jason Lowery Friendliest
Leona Ward Most Dignified Girl
Norman Cox Most Dignified Boy
Clifton Chapman Liziest
Marcile Lowery Most Ambitious
Jessie Ward Most Sarcastic
Earl Durham Most Original
Lester Buchanan Most Dependable

HONORS



HONOR STUDENTS

Valedictorian Julia King English

Salutatorian Charlene Doby

Senior Scholarship Charlene Doby

Junior Scholarship Jewell McBee

Sophomore Scholarship Celestine Huskins

Freshman Scholarship Sarah Brinkley

Fiftieth Girl Eddie Mae Simmons

Fiftieth Boy Harold Biddix

Declamation Medal Harold Biddix

Recitation Medal Allie Hollifield

Athletic Medal Irene Swofford

Athletic Medal J. P. Ollis

Journalism Medal Charlene Doby

President 4-H Club Julia King English

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